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near there on June 7th and 8th, and already active preparations are being made for the event. Leesburg occupies a prominent place in the Virginia cir-

a prominent place in the Virginia circuit of horse shows, and the exhibitions there are looked upon as important affairs in that section as they richly merit, having been a potent factor in fostering and encouraging the breeding interests. The officers of the association are: Colonel Robert N. Harper, of Washington, D. C., president; William C. Custis, of Garlands, vice-president; H. H. Russell, necond vice-president; S. T. Hickman, secretary, and E. E. Garrett, treasurer:

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cwners, Marshall and Thompson, of War-renton, Va., who have him in the stud

vicinity.

Whims of the Idler

PETTICOATS AND POLITICS.

Every woman, deep down in her instructible heart of hearts, has a secret hankering to see her husband in politics, or rather to see him a successful political can, which, however, is a gray horse of another color.

Even the queer critter who wants a bill of particulars every time this philosopher wobbles home after 10:36 P. M., has more than once hinted that he is not sufficiently prominent in public affairs. She says it would delight her soul to have him toke part in the temperance meetings and speas at the educational conventions, but she can't fool her nominal lord and reaster. It isn't the elevation of the human race she's after; it's the giorification of our own family.

For be it known that coman—be she cured or "washlady"—is cated up with ambition—and both in laundry and palace one can find more Mrs. Macbells than one can shake a stick at.

Not knowing much about politics—and the gods forfend that they ever should—the average dame thinks that this is about the quickest of all roads to fame and glory. Some men think so, too,—at first, But the letter learn better in the fullness of time. The women, on the fullness of time and are with difficulty restrained from entering the arena and groups and are with difficulty restrained from entering the arena and groups shade and should be the man and statemanlike vituperation. Thank goodness, those who boss, but initiate us, at least have some good qualifit—which we may never hope to distinct the groups and the restrum, but there are insculling extremes to which they would not stoop.

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and glory. Some men think so, too, at first, But the letter learn better in the fullness of time. The women, on the cities hand, merely get "joily mad" when thinks at wrons, and are with difficulty restrained from entering the arena and raising sand.

Well does this writer recall that notable campaign in Hanover in the early swentles, when he, at the enriest solicitation of innumerable friends (who symbolo difficulty of innumerable friends (who

that he did not even essay to juck up the debris.

But not so the Commander-in-Chief. She wanted to give everybody in Hanover a "piece of her mind." And although the Jopulation was considerable and the good woman's cerebral apparatus somewhat smaller than George Ellot's, the prospect of getting a "piece" of the aforesaid mind (however small the fragment), as intimated the electorate that the candidate of the Commander-in-Chief captured the office. Capturing an office however, is one thing, and remaining gitted to it another, and though few care to bludgeon a man with a viva voce clubity doth amaze to see how many will stilletto his respected ribs with the secret ballot. In other words, this philosopher, after one term as masistrate, saw his post of honor jump off from him with all the ease and agility of a gruss-hopper skipping over a worinwood fence.

There's just enough malice in some of us mentolks—us wise old foxes who have held office or tried monstrously hard to got a grip on some slippery ecl-like public trust—to long to see at least one campaign conducted, bossed, begun and terminated by that whimsical sex which, though uncertain, coy, and hard to please, at Jeast is no doubtful quantity in "speaking out in meetin."

It is probable, too, that the more may please of favored male beings who somesioning preachers and physiclans—a class of favored male beings who somesioning preachers and physiclans—a class of favored male beings who somesioning preachers and physiclans—a class of favored male beings who somesioning preachers and physiclans—a class of favored male beings who somesioning preachers and physiclans—a class of favored male beings who somesioning preachers and physiclans—a class of favored male beings who somesioning preachers and physiclans—a class of favored male beings who somesioning preachers and physiclans—a class of favored male beings who somestation—of the sup and physiclans—a class of favored male beings who somestation—of the sup winting the regard—not is asy advantation—of the sup win



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ENGLISH VIEW OF ELLERSLIE

Leesburg Horse Show-Jimmy Lane-Miss Nelson a Brood Mare Now-Winners.

Writing from Pelham Farm, which is near Welbourne, in Loudoun county, and one of the best known of Virginia breeding establishments, Mr. Robert Neville says; "My horses have wintered nicely, which applies not only to those intende to the stallions, brood mares and young things as well. The stallions in use ar Isonomy and Wedding Ring, by Hampton, and Ardington, by Melton, dam Annette from them, crossed on mares by imp. premier sire at Pelham. White Gar-ters, by Rigoletto, dam Vesta, by Catesters: by Rigoletto, dam Vesta, by Cates-by, the former good steeplechaser, is now a brood mare at the farm and her first foal, now three years old, by Ardington, will be raced this fall. I have eighteen brood mares selected from the best jumping families in England and America. In the training stable are sixteen horses, of the proposed position three are imported, but the latter which three are imported, but the latter which three are Imported, but the latter as yet have shown no superiority over the native bred products. Among the get of Ardington to be raced this season are Vestment, the crack steeplechaser of 1993, and Parson Kelly. Vestment is out of the Pelham Farm brood mare, Vestalla, dam of Eophone and Tentore, while Parson Kelly has for a dam Arrogance, the departer of Ermography and Digdain, by imp. daughter of Emperor and Disdain, by imp I enclose tabulated pedigree In referring to the Ellerslie Stud

light races."

In referring to the Ellersile Stud of R. J. Hancock and Son. Charlottesville, Va., in the London Sportsman, the well known English writer, "Vigilant," says: "As is pretty well known, the horse to make the name of this Virginia stud was Eolus, the son of Leamington and Fanny Washington, by Revenue, who has gone the way of all fiesh; but there is every hope that his place will be worthily filled by Fatherless. The best performance of this stout son of Isonomy and Orphan Agnes, by Speculum, was accomplished in the Great Metropolitan Stakes of 1896. The favorite was Lord William Beresford's Paris III., who, in spite of a ten-pound penalty for his victory in the Northamptonshire Stakes, which raised his weight to 9st 9h., started a hot favorite at 2 to 1. About Fatherless, who carried the colors of the late Mr. W. M. Redfern, the useful odds of 10 to 1 were obtainable, and he won by a length and a half from The Rays. Amongst the unplaced lot was Cypria, who had run a dead heat for the Cosarewitch three years previously, as well as useful animals like Bach and Operaticless. The first of the get of Patherless, who are now three years old, include Workman, Red Reynard and Mistiss, who are all good winners, and I am informed that his two-year-olds and yearlings are equally promising. According to an American paper, yearlings are timed in their work over there as well as the older horses, and several of them by Fatherless were clocked as running a quarter of a mile in 6:24, two of them be scription is full for the present season, and he looks like worthly carrying on the season. heing inside that time. The horse's sub-scription is full for the present season, and he looks like worthily carrying on the sterling line in America. The other stallions at the Eliersile Stud are Eon and Aureus, both of them being sons of Eolus. They are advertised at \$100 and \$50, respectively, "with return privi-lege", whitever that may mean. whatever that may mean.

market basket?

And didn't you, on these occasions, suddenly hear a voice whispering, "Wouldn't it be glorious to be Mrs. Attorney Genral Higgins, or Mrs. Supreme Court Judge O'Shaunnessey, or Mrs. United States Senator Murphy, or Mrs. Governor Enroughty. Now, honest, hasn't it?

And didn't you, from the minute the whim select you for the whom we would with the control of the country of the minute the state of the country of the country would be supplied you. For the work was the country of the c

whim seized you, forthwith open up yo

A Man if Not a Great Soldier.

Man if Not a Great Soldier, cheral Kuropatkin may be a poor teglist, but he is a full-sized man and gai patriot. Gripenberg, ordered to re from a position, quarrels with his crior, throws up his command and reast of Russia in a rage. Kuropatkin, eated in the greatest battle of the and lesing all but honor, turns over command to his ancient enemy, Line-th, and volunteers to serve under him the front. There have been few finer ugs in the annals of war than the ieral's shinking of self and facing the vivors of the army he had led to isster, to right for Russia again at front in a subordinate command.—

The Passion Play.

Richmond in the Swirn.

Richmond is coming along all right enough. It has had a ridiculous "pu-rity crusade" on for a mouth or two and Monday night a six-day bicycle race was started.—Charlotte Observer.

er an interval of four years the sion Play," at Selrach, in Switzer-will be produced this summer. The performance took place twelve years the actors being yillagers. Each rmance occupies four or five days. t 499 people take part in it.

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But far be it from this quondam Hanover magistrate to deride, belittle or censure the pettleoated politicians. He is their most devoted ward-heeler, their most enthuslastic lieutenant, their most servilo heachman. Would that he were a hydraheaded being, with the leg-equipment of a centipede, so that he could gallon around from precinct to precinct and vote for every married man on every ticket—that is to say, for their respective wives. And to tell the truth, he wouldn't refuse a public office if one came his way.

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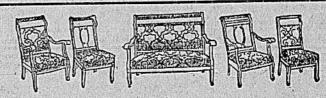
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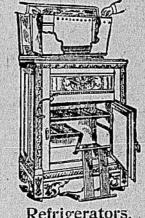
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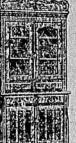
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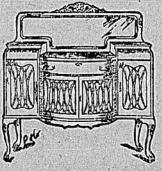
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daily dose of sulphur and molasses every spring and fall.

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there. C. A. Bowen, of Winchester, Va., has purchased of P. J. Stubener, Blairsburs, Md., the bay stallion El Captano, by Wilton W., 2809, dam Lily, by Defoto, Price 2000, This horse trotted to a record of 2:25%, over a half mile track, driven by an amateur, while in his work he has shown miles right around 2:20. With good breeding El Captano combines nice manners, and has no vices, which entities him to consideration, and the son of Wilton W. should prove a valuable addition to the breeding interests of Winchester and vicinity. the breeding interests of Winchester and vicinity. W. A. Biggs, of Franklin, Va., is driving on the read the richip bred chestnat mare Flora McC., by Red Wilkes, dam Missie Wilkes, by William L., sire of Axtell, 2:12, a great coit stratter and now famous as a sire. Flora McC., a grand date, was the famous producer of Fanny H. dam of Evantzeline, 2:11%, and three others with records better than 2:20. The daughter of Red Wilkes was bred late last season to Kelly, 2:37, and high hopes are centered in the prospective produce, which will, be entered in the richest coit stakes. The buy mare, Miss Nelson, 2:11%, by Norfolk, dam Miss Laissiter, who formers by held the record for Virginia bred trotters, is now a stately matron, and has produced several fonds, her last being by William Penn, 2:36%, Miss Nelson was bred by Freston Belvin, of this city, but is now the property of W. D. Althouse, Phoenixville, Ps. Among the Virginia bred horses which took part in the California winter meetings were Albert Tynright, by Aloha, dam Purse, by King Ernest; Andrew Mack, thy linp. Charaxus, dam Generice, by Eolus, and some half dozen others, all of whom were wingers and showed good form.

Great Trees From Little Accrns woman tried to stop a dog fight in